

## Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 QUITO 07105 251457Z

67

ACTION ARA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 OIC-02 OPR-01 SY-04 CIAE-00 DODE-00

PM-03 H-01 INR-05 L-01 NSAE-00 NSC-05 PA-01 RSC-01

PRS-01 SP-02 SS-15 USIA-06 /059 W

----- 122934

R 251226Z OCT 74

FM AMEMBASSY QUITO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3005

C O N F I D E N T I A L QUITO 7105

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OCON, OAS, EC

SUBJECT: PREPARATIONS FOR OAS MINISTERIAL MEETING IN QUITO: VOL. 3

FOR OIC, OPR, S/S, USOAS, ARA, S/PRS, AND SY

ARA PLEASE PASS TO AMBASSADOR BREWSTER

REF: A) QUITO 6568 B) QUITO 6945 C) STATE 232073

D) QUITO 7060

1. EMBASSY APPRECIATES TIMELY INFORMATION PROVIDED BY REF C. MEETING ON CONFERENCE FORTUITOUSLY TOOK PLACE AT FOREIGN MINISTRY IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF YOUR CABLE. WE WERE THEREFORE ABLE TO PROVIDE A LITTLE BIT BETTER INFORMATION, PARTICULARLY CONCERNING HOTEL ROOM REQUIREMENTS. WE ALSO GOT SOME ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS A RESULT OF THE MEETING.

2. HOTELS: EMBASSY HAS REQUESTED AN ALLOCATION OF 10 SINGLES AND 20 DOUBLES, WHICH WE WILL BE VERY LUCKY TO GET. BEYOND THIS NUMBER, WE WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY HAVE TO RESORT TO ROOMS IN INDIVIDUAL HOMES WITHIN THE US MISSION. EMBASSY STRONGLY URGES DELEGATION TO DEVISE AN ALLOCATION OF ROOMS ON THE BASIS OF THE 10 SINGLES/20 DOUBLES, AND ADVISE POST SOONEST YOUR NEEDS. AMBASSADOR, CURRENTLY IN WASHINGTON, CAN PROVIDE ASSISTANCE IN MAKING RECOMMENDATIONS.  
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 QUITO 07105 251457Z

IONS FOR HOUSING SENIOR DELEGATION MEMBERS.

3. WIVES: ECUADOREANS ASKED THAT DELEGATIONS DISCOURAGE BRINGING OF WIVES, OWING PARTICULARLY TO SHORTAGE OF HOTEL SPACE. EMBASSY WOULD BE GRATEFUL FOR CONFIRMATION THAT US DELEGATION DOES NOT PLAN TO HAVE WIVES ACCOMPANY (INCLUDING CONGRESSIONAL WIVES), BUT NEEDS TO KNOW SOONEST IF THIS IS NOT CORRECT.

4. INTERPRETERS: IF BILATERALS ARE PLANNED, AND INTERPRETERS REQUIRED, EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT DELEGATION BRING ITS OWN. ALTHOUGH CONFERENCE SESSIONS WILL HAVE SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION, QUALITY MAY BE ECCENTRIC, AND DELEGATION MAY WISH TO HAVE ITS OWN INTERPRETERS AVAILABLE FOR CONFERENCE SESSIONS AS WELL.

5. TRAVEL: REF C NOTED ARRIVAL ON BRANIFF 911 ON WHICH WE HAVE ALREADY COMMENTED (REF D) -- I.E. THAT FLIGHT IS ONE WHICH HAS BEEN ORDERED SUSPENDED BY THE GOE BECAUSE OF CURRENT CIVAIR PROBLEMS. HAVE RETURN FLIGHT RESERVATIONS FROM QUITO TO WASHINGTON BEEN CONFIRMED BY DELEGATION? IF NOT, THEY SHOULD BE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. IN ADDITION, DELEGATION SHOULD BE AWARE THAT THIS IS THE RAINY SEASON IN QUITO, AND BRANIFF AND OTHER AIRLINES NOT INFREQUENTLY HAVE TO OVERFLY TO ONWARD DESTINATIONS. DELEGATION MAY WISH TO RECONSIDER HAVING ITS OWN AIRCRAFT, TO AVOID BEING STRANDED IN LIMA, CALI, OR PANAMA.

6. DELEGATION COMPOSITION: AT OCTOBER 22 MEETING (PARA 1, ABOVE), GOE STRESSED URGENCY OF KNOWING THE PRECISE COMPOSITION OF DELEGATIONS IN ORDER TO BEGIN PREPARING PASSES, IDENTIFICATION CARDS, PROTOCOL PLACE LISTS, SECURITY MEASURES, HOTEL ROOMS, CAR PASSES, &C. IT IS NOT CLEAR FROM REF C WHETHER THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL OBSERVERS ARE AMONG THE EIGHT ACCREDITED MEMBERS OF THE DELEGATION. DOES THE 8 (DELEGATION MEMBERS) PLUS 12 (ACCOMPANYING THE OFFICIAL PARTY) INCLUDE PEOPLE FROM S/S-EX? S/S-S? OIC? OPR? SY? S/PRS? USIA? ARA/PAF? ARA/EC? OTHERS? EMBASSY WOULD BE GRATEFUL FOR A NAME LIST (EVEN IF STILL TENTATIVE, OR IF INDIVIDUALS HAVE NOT YET BEEN AGREED UPON) SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFYING DELEGATES, OBSERVERS, AND OTHERS  
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 03 QUITO 07105 251457Z

ACCOMPANYING.

7. SECURITY: AT REQUEST OF GOE, PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST NAMES OF SECURITY PERSONNEL TO ATTEND CONFERENCE AND IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS AND TYPES OF WEAPONS TO BE CARRIED. SUCH INFORMATION, IF PROVIDED IN ADVANCE, WILL FURTHER SMOOTH OUR RELATIONS, AND DELEGATION'S, WITH SECURITY OFFICIALS HERE. ALSO ASSUME SECURITY AGENTS MAY HAVE THEIR

OWN RADIOS. IT MIGHT BE USEFUL TO HAVE OUR RSO AND LOCAL  
SECURITY LIAISON OFFICER, AND PERHAPS THE MARINE SECURITY  
GUARD NCOIC, ON THE SAME NET. CAN YOU BRING ADDITIONAL  
UNITS WITH YOU? HEMENWAY

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** n/a  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 25 OCT 1974  
**Decaption Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** shawdg  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1974QUITO07105  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** GS  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Film Number:** D740306-0061  
**From:** QUITO  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1974/newtext/t19741016/aaaaamxl.tel  
**Line Count:** 119  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Office:** ACTION ARA  
**Original Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 3  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** A) QUITO 6568 B) QUITO 6945 C) STATE  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** shawdg  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 11 SEP 2002  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review History:** RELEASED <11 SEP 2002 by elyme>; APPROVED <05 MAR 2003 by shawdg>  
**Review Markings:**

Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
30 JUN 2005

**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Referrals:** n/a  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** PREPARATIONS FOR OAS MINISTERIAL MEETING IN QUITO: VOL. 3 FOR OIC, OPR, S/S, USOAS, ARA, S/PRS, AND SY  
**TAGS:** OCON, EC, OAS  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005